



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 08049.0923

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Vantresa STICKLER et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3628
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Application No.: 10/630,589	)	Examiner: Igor N. Borissov
	)	
Filed: July 29, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 1662
	)	
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR	)	
MID-STREAM POSTAGE	)	
ADJUSTMENT	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 16, 2007, the period for response having been extended to May 16, 2008 by a request for extension of three (3) months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper, beginning on page 27.